

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 09875.0274

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Andrew MAUNDER ) Group Art Unit: 3653  
Application No.: 10/565,201 ) Examiner: HAGEMAN, Mark  
Filed: August 2, 2006 ) Confirmation No.: 9270  
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR )  
CLEANING A BATCH OF )  
GRANULAR MATERIAL )

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 2, 2009, the period for response to which extends to March 2, 2010, and in conjunction with a concurrently-filed Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") and associated fees pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.